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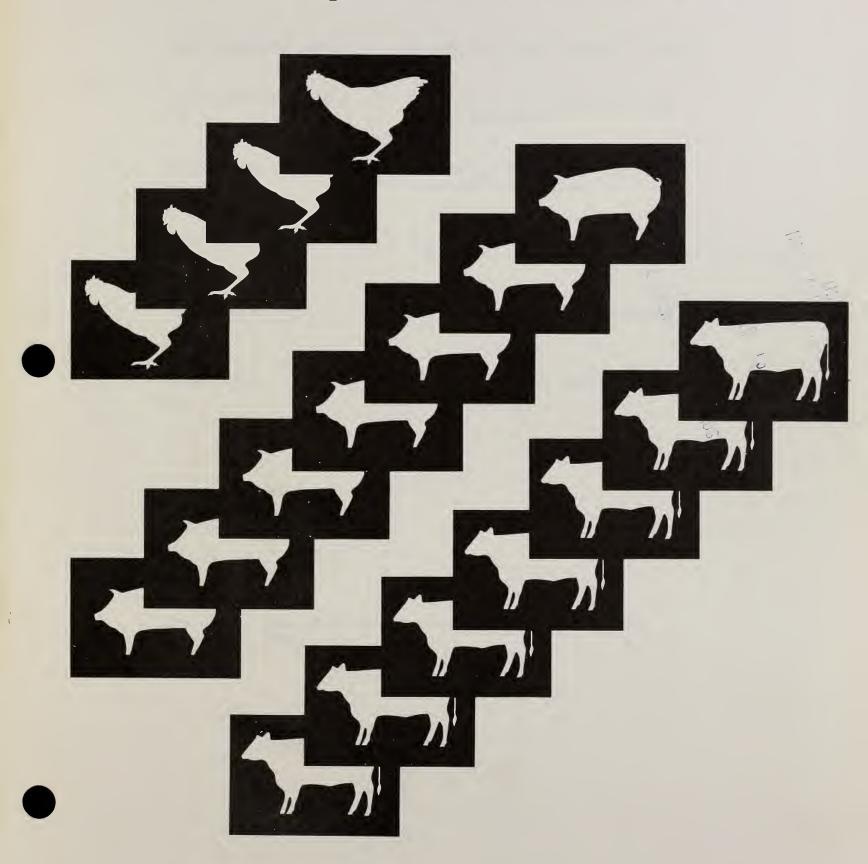




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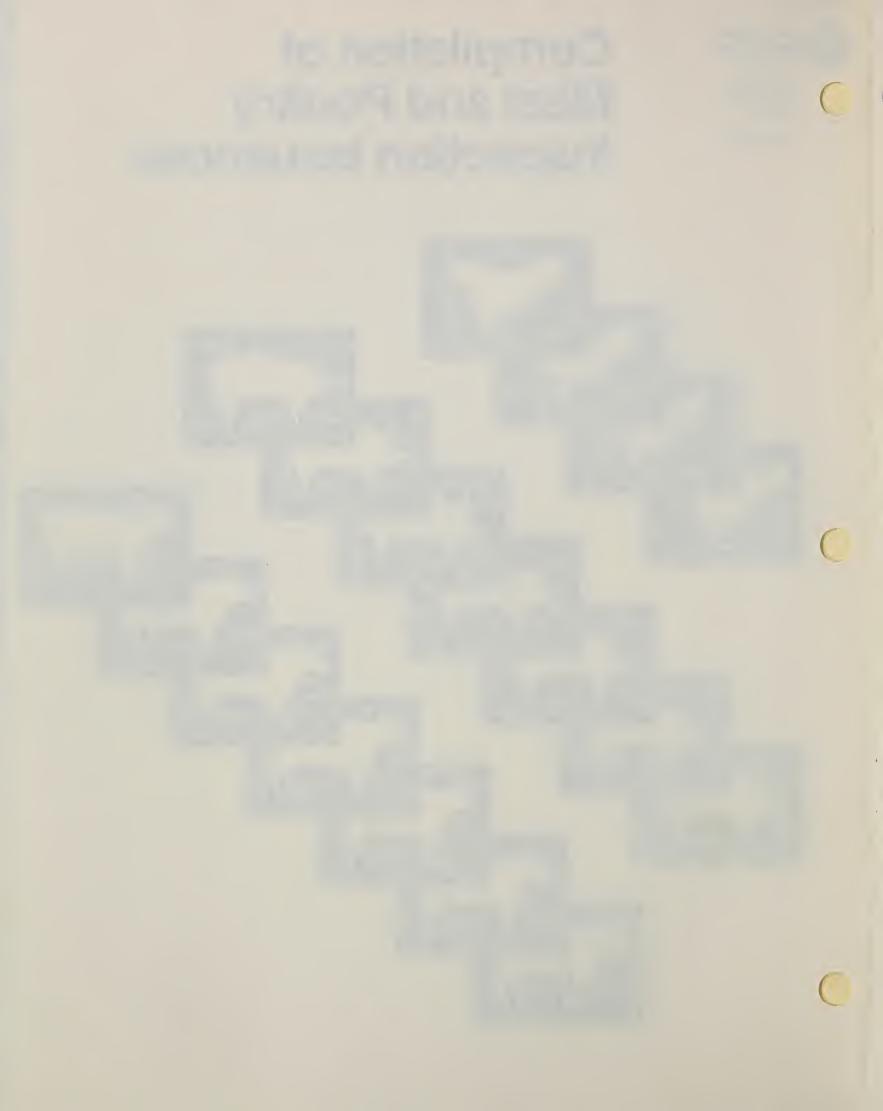
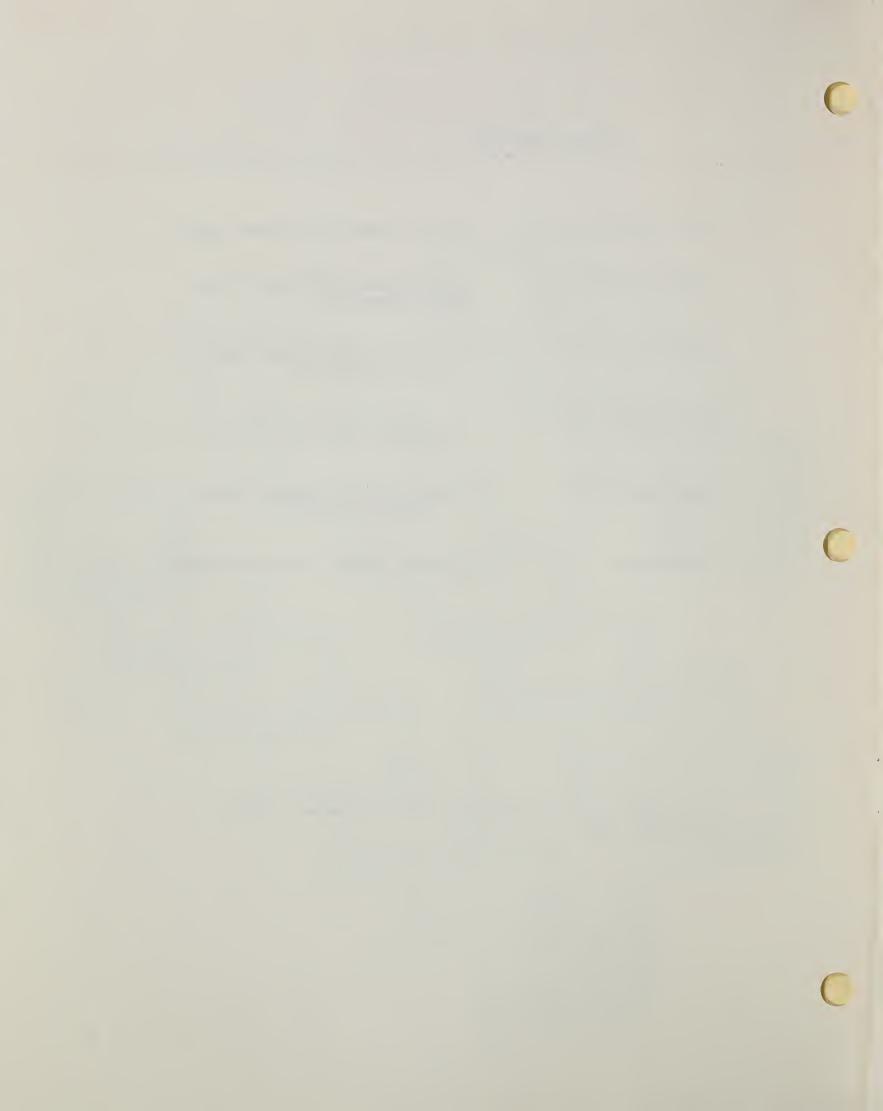


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WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER REPORT -- FORM LS-149

6010.1

12/4/84

I PURPOSE

This document transmits FSIS Directive 6010.1 and provides guidance to FSIS inspectors charge regarding completing and submitting LS-149 forms to Statistical Reporting Service.

II SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO INSPECTORS IN CHARGE

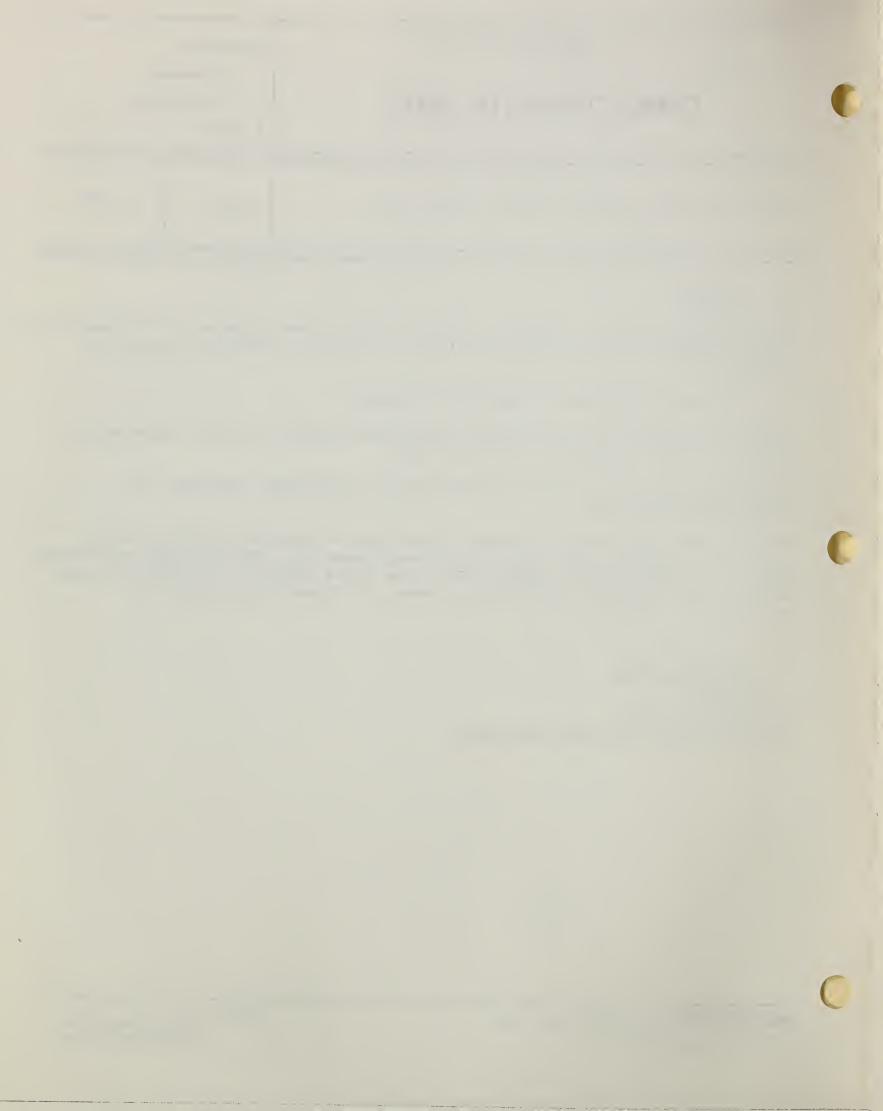
It has been brought to our attention that some improvement is needed regarding the accuracy of data submitted on the LS-149 form.

The attached directive provides instructions for collecting, reviewing, and submitting LS-149 forms.

The reporting requirements outlined in this directive regarding the LS-149 forms should not be confused with the reporting requirements for the FSIS Weekly Ante-Mortem and Post-Mortem Inspection Summary, FSIS Forms 9300-1 through 5, which will continue to be mailed to the FSIS Data Services Center, 210 Walnut Street, Room 791, Des Moines, IA 50309.

Deputy Administrator

Meat and Poultry Inspection Operations



FSIS DIRECTIVE

6010.1

12/4/84

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER REPORT--FORM LS-149

I. PURPOSE

This directive prescribes procedures for completing and submitting LS-149, Weekly Livestock Slaughter Report.

- II. [RESERVED]
- III. REASON FOR ISSUANCE

To provide guidelines for improving the accuracy of the completion and submission of the Weekly Livestock Slaughter Report.

- IV. [RESERVED]
- V. FORMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

The following will appear as abbreviated in this directive:

SRS Statistical Reporting Service AMS Agricultural Marketing Service

IIC Inspector in Charge

SPS Supervision of the Performance System

LS-149 Livestock Slaughter Report
FSIS Forms 9300-1 through 5 -- Weekly Ante-Mortem and Post-Mortem Inspection
Summary

VI. POLICY

Collecting data and processing and publishing the Weekly Livestock Slaughter Report is a joint project carried out by FSIS, SRS, and AMS.

VII. RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. The IIC shall (in the absence of the IIC, relief personnel shall assume the following responsibilities):
- 1. Collect completed forms weekly from plant management on the last working day of the week.

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SO3, CM3, ABB, TRA

OPI: MPIO, Inspection Coordination
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- 2. Review the LS-149 reports to assure accuracy and completeness of the report and to assure that the following are reported when appropriate:
 - a. Plants which have been withdrawn from inspection.
 - b. Plants issued grants of inspection but are not operating.
 - c. "No Kills."
- 3. If all data, such as live weights, are not available, or if plant management does not supply all of the requested data, assure that at least the data needed for preparing FSIS Forms 9300-1 through 5 is reported. This includes the daily livestock slaughtered by species and class.
- 4. Assure that slaughter plants with new grants of inspection are placed into the LS-149 reporting process.
- 5. After extracting the data needed for the FSIS Forms 9300-1 through 5, submit the LS-149 forms as follows:
 - a. Blue Copy--Mail to:

Crop Reporting Board, SRS United States Department of Agriculture Washington, DC 20250

- b. Pink and/or white copy -- file in the Government office at the official establishment.
- B. SRS will supply the appropriate envelopes for mailing the LS-149 forms. The envelopes, and the LS-149 forms should be obtained from:

Statistical Reporting Service U.S. Department of Agriculture Washington, DC 20250 ATTENTION: Livestock Section Telephone: FTS 447-6880

- C. The SRS will process and summarize the LS-149 reports and AMS will publish the report.
- D. Effective October 15, 1984, the Market News Service, AMS, will call the FSIS regional livestock slaughter staff officer who, in turn, will call the FSIS area supervisor in order to obtain information omitted from the LS-149 forms.

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FSIS DIRECTIVE
STANDARDS AND LABELING DIVISION
POLICY MEMORANDA

7220.1 Amendment 6

12-26-84

I PURPOSE

This document transmits changes to FSIS Directive 7220.1.

II CHANGES

Insert Policy Memo 78 in numerical order in attachment 1 of FSIS Directive 7220.1.

III CANCELLATIONS

This change transmittal is cancelled when contents have been incorporated.

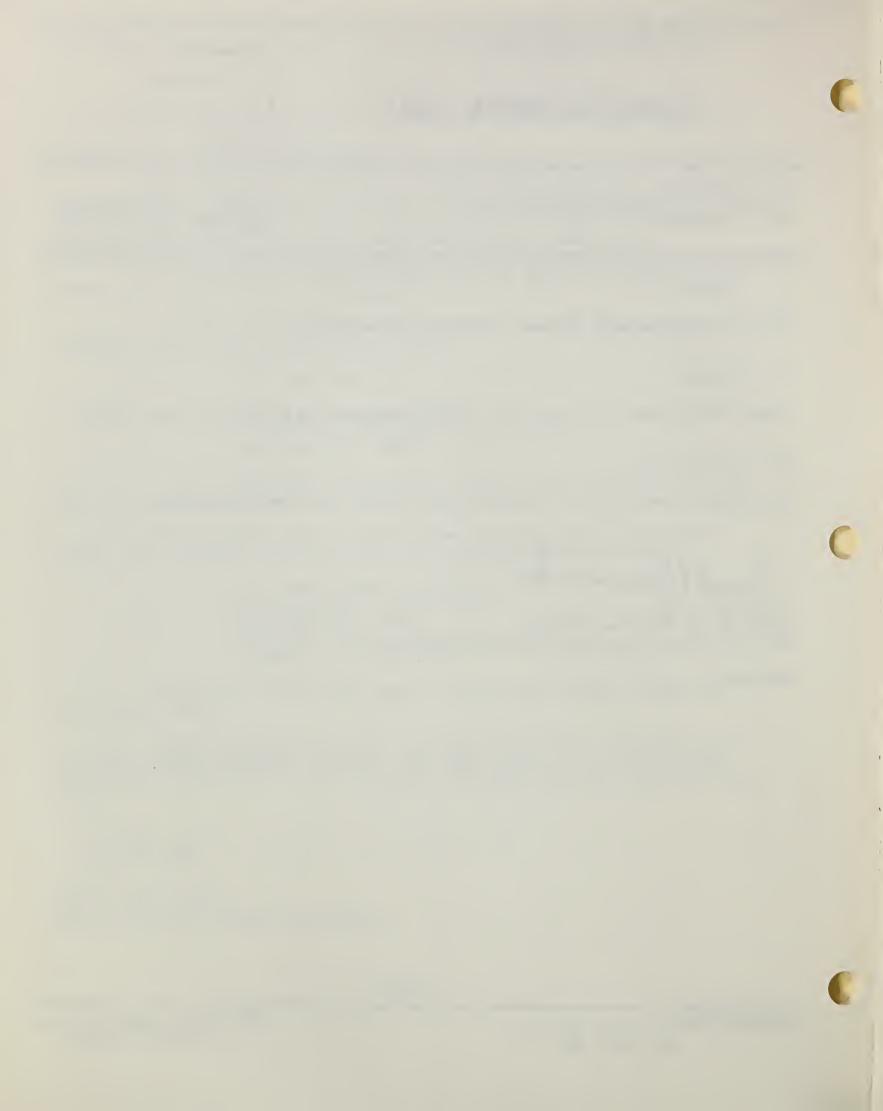
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Standards and Labeling Division

Meat and Poultry Inspection Technical Services

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Food Safety and Inspection Service

To

Branch Chiefs, SLD

Policy Memo 78

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From:

Robert G. Hibbert, Director, SLD

Subject:

Potassium Labeling Guidelines

ISSUE: What guidelines should be followed in the review and approval of labeling which includes potassium information?

POLICY: 1. The label of any meat or poultry product may bear quantitative information on the amount of potassium in a serving of the product. When this information is provided, the serving size must appear on the label and must be within the range of serving sizes customarily used for that product. Potassium and sodium content information may be included without other nutrition information. Labels may not bear nutrition information on potassium content alone.

- 2. Quantitative information on potassium content shall be declared in terms of milligrams (mg) per serving of the product. The potassium content shall be expressed as zero when the serving contains less than 5 mg, to the nearest 5 mg increment when the serving contains 5 to 140 mg of potassium and to the nearest 10 mg increment when the serving contains greater than 140 mg of potassium.
- 3. Nutrition labeling does not require the inclusion of potassium content information. However, if potassium content information is included on the nutrition information panel of a meat or poultry product, the potassium content information must immediately follow the information on sodium content.
- 4. When labels bearing potassium content information are submitted for approval, appropriate information should also be submitted to support the label declaration. Acceptable information would be:
- (a) Information that demonstrates that calculations from the potassium content of the product's individual ingredients adequately reflects the potassium content of the product.

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(b) Information derived from recognized reference sources, such as the revisions of Agriculture Handbook No. 8 published in 1976 or later.

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(c) Information derived from industry or company analytical data bases. At a minimum, three laboratory analyses should be performed, and ideally each analysis should be from a different lot of product. Such analyses shall be performed in accordance with "Official Methods of Analysis of the Association of Official Analytical Chemists" ("AOAC") or the "Chemistry Laboratory Guidebook" of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Alternative methods of analysis may be used if submitted to the Administrator and determined to be acceptable.

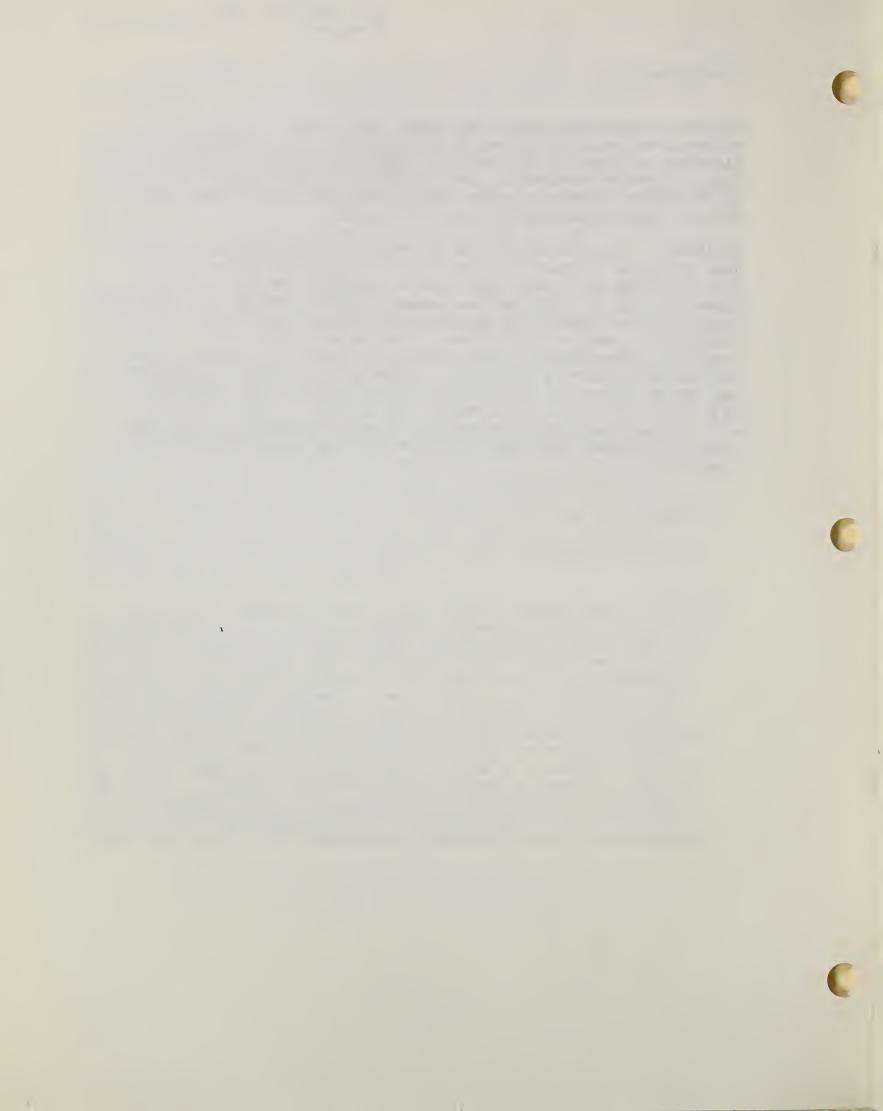
With respect to (a) and (b) above, it may also be necessary that laboratory analyses be performed to assure the adequacy of the calculations and the applicability of the reference sources.

- 5. Processors are responsible for assuring the continued accuracy of the potassium content of their products. The basis for verifying potassium content will be as follows:
- (a) A partial quality control (PQC) program approved by the Processed Products Inspection Division is required for products not covered in (b) below to verify the continued accuracy of any potassium labeling value. Such a PQC program may be principally formulation control coupled with an occasional laboratory analysis, only laboratory analysis of finished products, or some combination of the two. When laboratory analysis alone is relied on for verification, sampling frequency will depend on the correlation of the laboratory results to the potassium value on the labeling.
- (b) A PQC program will not be required for products where: (l) an adequate basis exists from a recognized reference source, such as the revisions of Agriculture Handbook No. 8 published in 1976 or later; or (2) there is information that demonstrates that calculations from the potassium content of the product's individual ingredients adequately reflect the potassium content of the products; or (3) there is a data base consisting of a sufficient number of analyses to establish the product's variability and establishing that the standard deviation does not exceed 25 percent of the average. The data can be submitted as part of the label approval application, or can be accumulated under a PQC program. Products which have been produced for some time under a label PQC program may have accumulated sufficient data to demonstrate that the PQC is no longer required. Processors of such products may submit such data to the Standards and Labeling Division for evaluation.

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Products labeled with potassium content information for which a PQC is not required are still subject to Agency monitoring. In addition, the Standards and Labeling Division will require processors to submit no less frequently than annually the results of a single composite analysis of 12 samples randomly selected from 12 different lots to demonstrate the continued validity of the potassium content.

RATIONALE: These guidelines specify definitions and methods to assure that potassium information is provided in a consistent manner that is not misleading and is meaningful to the consumer. The Food and Drug Administration has evaluated the potential health benefits to be derived from potassium labeling and determined that these benefits are not sufficient to warrant declarations of potassium content alone. However, significant alterations of the sodium: potassium ratio in diet can be detrimental to persons susceptible to high blood pressure. Potassium and sodium contents of foods may be printed without other nutrients so that this ratio can be calculated by the consumer. These guidelines will help meat and poultry processors to provide potassium information that is consistent with FDA's nutrition labeling regulations and sodium labeling.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE WASHINGTON, D. C.

FSIS NOTICE

76-84

12-4-84

NEW PUBLIC HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR THE NETHERLANDS

The Dutch meat inspection officials have informed FSIS that they will require the multilingual MP Form 157 (Public Health Certificate) to accompany fresh/frozen meat and meat byproducts, originating from the bovine, porcine, ovine, caprine and equine species, imported into the Netherlands effective January 1, 1985. Export inspectors should start issuing MP Form 157 on December 15, 1984. The attached MP Form 157 may be photocopied until a supply of printed MP Form 157 is available.

MP Form 157 is being printed and will be distributed to the Regional Directors in the near future. MP Form 157 replaces MP Form 124 (Meat Certificate for Importation Into the Netherlands); therefore MP Form 124 is obsolete and should be destroyed.

The following forms should be issued for fresh/frozen meat and meat byproducts:

- 1. MP Form 130, "Meat and Poultry Export Certificate of Wholesomeness."
- 2. MP Form 150, "Animal Health Certificate."
- 3. MP Form 157, "Public Health Certificate."

For horsemeat, issue the same forms described above with the exception that MP Form 414-3, (horsemeat certificate), should be substituted for MP Form 130.

The following forms should be issued for processed meat products:

- 1. MP Form 130 (MP Form 414-3 for equine products).
- 2. MP Form 412-9 (dated 9/81 or newer).

DISTRIBUTION: M91, M93, M94, M95, S03, CM3, TRA

NOTICE EXPIRES: 12-1-85

OPI:

Issue the following forms for edible meat byproducts which are destined for the manufacturing of organ preparations:

- 1. MP Form 130 (MP Form 414-3 for equine products).
- 2. MP Form 145, "Certificate for the Importation Into the Netherlands of Organs or Parts of Slaughter Animals Used in the Manufacturing or Organ Preparation in a Scientific Way."

This information should be used in conjunction with the requirements specified in Section 22.63 of the Meat and Poultry Inspection Manual and other notifications, e.g., MPI Bulletins 81-37 and 83-2.

This Notice supersedes MPI Bulletin 81-46.

Deputy Administrator

Meat and Poultry/Inspection Operations

Attachment

1 MP Form 157, Public Health Certificate (consists of 2 pages)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE MEAT AND POULTRY INSPECTION OPERATIONS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20280

GENUSTAUGLICHKEITEBESCHEINIGUNG CERTIFICATO DI SANIT HYGIEINECERTIFIKAT CERTIFICAT DE SALUBRITÉ

VLEESKEURINGSCERTIFICAAT ΠΙΕΤΟΠΟΙΗΤΙΚΟ ΚΑΤΑΛΑΗΛΟΤΗΤΑΣ

for fresh mest (1) intended for consignment to the EEC /fur frisches Fleisch (1) das zum Versand nech der EWG bestimmt ist/fersk ked(1) som sendes til det EØF/pour les viandes fraîches (1) destinées à la CEE/voor vers viees (1) besternd voor de EEF/relativo a carni fresche (1) destinate alla spedizione verso la CEE/ Νωτών πρεάτων (1) τά οποία προοριζονται γιά την ΕΟΚ.

Country of destination/Bestimmungsland/Bestemmelsesland/Pays de destination/Land van bestemming/Passe di destinazions/

Είς (χώρα καί τόπος προορισμου):

Reference/Nummer/Referencenummer/Numero de référence/Referentienummer/Riferimento/* Tyrost SERIAL NO. OF CORRESPONDING EXPORT CERTIFICATE:

Exporting country: USA / Versandland: USA / Afsenderland: USA / Pays expéditeur: USA / Land van verzending: USA / Paess speditore: USA / Αποστελλούσα χώρα USA

Ministry/Zustandloes Ministerium/Ministerium/ Ministère/Ministerie/Ministero/ Tropovelov U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Department/Ausstellende Behörde/Myndighed/ Service/Dienst/Servizio/ TEnpedia FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE

1. Identification of mest/Angeben zur Identifizierung des Fielsches/Kødets identifikation/Identification des viendes/Identificatio ven het viess/ identificazione delle carni/ Tautotoungus tev apeatev .

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Nature of cuts/Art der Teile/Stykkernes art/Nature des pièces/Aard van hat verzondene/Natura dei pezzi/ Ecog τεμαχύων:

Nature of packaging/Art der Verpackung/Emballagens art/Nature de l'emballage/Aard van de verpakking/Natura dell'imballaggio/.Eu6og συσπευασίας:

Number of cuts or packages/Zahl der Teile oder Packstücke/Antal stykker eller kolli/Nombre de prêces ou d'unités d'emballage/Aantal stuks of colli/Numero dei pezzi o degli imballeggi/ Αρυθμός τεμαχίων ή μονάδων συσκευασίας:

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Net weight/Nettogewicht/Nettoveegt/Poids net/Nettogewicht/Peso netto/ Kalapov Bapos:

11. Origin of meet/Herkunft des Fleisches/Kyldets oprindeles/Provenance des viendes/Herkomst van het viees/Provenienze delle carni/ Hoochevous mpeater.

Address(es) and veterinary approval number(s) of approved slaughterhouse(s):/Anschrift(en) und Veterinarkontrollnummer(n) des (der) zugelessenen Schlachtbetriebe(s)/Det (de) autoriserede slagteri(er)s adresse og veterinaere autorisationsnummer/ Adresse(s) at numéro(s) d'agrément vétérinaire de l'(des) abettoir(s) agree(s)/Adres(sen) en toelatingsnummer(s) ven het (de) erkende slachthuis (slachthuizen)/indirizzo(i) e numerc(i) di riconoscimento verterinario del(i) macello(i) riconosciuto(i)/ 🕹 Labburon(coc) ass. apublico(o) arraya apusig symplosus sos (suv) sycasopubros(av) opayelou(av):

Address(es) and veterinary approval number(s) of approved cutting plant(s)/Anachrift(en) und Veterinarkontrollnummer(n) des (der) zugelassenen Zerlegungsbetriebe(s)/Den (de) autoriserede opskaeringsvirksomhed(er)s adresse og vererineere autorisetionsnummer/Adresse(s) et numero(s) d'agrément vétérinaire de l'(des) ateller(s) de découpe agréé(s)/Adres(sen) en toelatingsnummer(s) ven de erkende uitsnijderij(en)/Indirizzo(i) e numero(i) dl riconoscimento veterinario del (I) laboratorio (ri) di sazionamento riconosciuto (I) / Διεύθυνσε(στις) και αριθμός(οί) κτηνιατρικής εγκρίστας του (των) chezothron(mn) ebloquiblon(mn) asheziothoe :

Address(es) and veterinary approval number(s) of approved cold storage warehouse(s)/Anschrift(en) und Veterinarkontrollnummer(n) des (der) zugelessenen Kühl- und Gefrierhauses (häuser)/Det (de) autoriserede lagres adresse og veterinsere autorisetionsnummer/Adresse(s) et numéro(s) d'agrément vétérinaire de l'(des) entrepôt(s) frigorifique(s) agréé(s)/Adres(sen) en toelatingsnummer(s) van hat (de) erkende koelhuis (koelhuizen)/Indirizzo(i) e numero(i) di riconoscimento veterinerio del(i) deposito(i) frigorifero(i) riconosciuto(i)/, Δεεύθυνση(σεις) σει αρεθμός(οί) κτηνιστρικής εγκρίσεως του (των) Εγκεκριμένου(ων) zipou(er) evenoêneziones :

III. Destination of meet/Bestimmung des Fleisches/Kédets festination/Destination des viendes/Bestemming van het rices/Destinatione delle carni/ Hoooptouos Tav Moeatev

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to:/nach/til/e/naer/e/ Eus (Country and place of destination)/Bestimmungsort und -land/(Bestemmelsesland og -sted)/(Pays et lieu de destination)/(Land en plasts van bestemming)/(Paese e luogo di destinazione)/ (χώρα καί τόπος προορισμου):

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Name and address of consignee/Name und Anschrift des Empfängers/Modtagerens nevn og adresse/Nom et adresse du destinataire/Naam en adres van degene oor wie de zending is bestemd/Nome e indirizzo del destinaterio/ Όνομα και δικύθυνσις του παραλήπτου

ATTACHMENT REVERSE MP FORM 157

/. Health Attestation/Bescheinigung/Attestation om kødets egnethed till menneskeføde/Attestation de selubrits/Vies senita Bebaiwous watahanhorntos.

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, certify that:/Der unterzeichnete amtliche Tiererzt bescheinigt folgendes:/Undertegnede embedsdyrlaege attesterer, et:/Le vétérinaire officiel soussigné certifie:/Ondergetekende, officieel dierenarts, verklaart hiermede:/II sottoscritto, veterinario ufficiale, certifica:/ Ο υτογεγραμμένος εξουσιοδοτημένος πτηνίατρος βεβαιοί

(a) - the meet described above (3)/des vorstahand bezeichnete Fleisch (3)/det ovennaavnte kad (3)/que les viendes désignées ci-avant (3)/det het hierboven genoemde viees (3)/che le carni sopreindicate (3)/ Ott ta avertpe avaetpourva aptata (3),

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bear(s) a mark to the effect that the meet comes wholly from enimals slaughtered in sleughterhouses approved for exporting to the country of destination/ist (sind) mit einem Stempelabdruck versahen, aus dam ersichtlich ist, dass des Fleisch nur von Tieren stammt, die in zugelassener Schlachtbetrieben im Hinblick auf die Ausfuhr nach dem Bestimmungslend geschlachtet worden sind/baerer stempel om, et kødet udelukkende hidrører fre dyr, der er slagtet paa slagterier, som er eutoriseret til eksport til bestemmelseslandet/porte(nt) l'estampille ettestant que les viandes proviennent en totalité d'animaux ebattus dans des abattoirs agréés pour l'exportetion vers le pays destinataire/een merk draagt (dragen) dat aantoont dat het vlees uitsluitend afkomstig is ven dieren die in een voor de uitvoer neer het lend van bestemming erkend slechthuis zijn geslacht/reca (no) i bolli comproventi che le carni provegono esclusivamente de animali macelleti in macelli riconosciuti per l'esportazione verso il paese destinaterio/, φέρα(συν) τη σφραγίδα με την οποία βεβαιούται ότι τα κρέατα προέρχονται εξ ολοκλή- ρου από ζώα σφαγέντα σε εγκεκρυμένα για εξαγωγές πρός τη χώρα προορισμού σφαγεία:

(b) - the meet was obtained under the conditions governing production and control leid down in Directive 72-462-EEC and that it is, therefore, considered as such to be fit for human consumption/das vorstehend bezeichnete Fleisch ist unter Bedingungen betraffend die Herstellung und Kontrolle gewonnen worden, die den Erfordernissen der Richtlinie 72-462-EWG entsprechen und ist daher als solches für tauglich zum Genuss für Menschen befunden worden/kødet for see vidt engeer produktion og kontrol er tilvejebregt i overenestemmelse med direktiv 72-482-EØF, og at det derfor er fundet egnet til menneskeføde, som det foreligger/ qu'elles ont eté obtenues dans les conditions de production et de contrôle prévues par le directive 72-462-CEE et qu'elles sont de ce fait reconnues en l'état propres à la consommation humaine/dat het is verkregen onder de voorwearden inzake produktie en controle van Richtiljn 72-482-EEG en dat het derhelve als zodanig geschikt voor menselijke consumptie is bevonden/che queste carni sono state ricavate nelle condizioni di produzione e controllo previste delle direttiva 72-462-CEE e che sono pertanto riconosciute ette incondizionatamente el consumo umeno/ ôta 🟗 🕪 ελόφθησαν σύμφωνα με τους όρους παραγωγής και ελέγχου που προδλέπονται στην οδηγία 72/462/ΕΟΚ και ότι, ως σκ πούτου, αναγνωρίζονται ότι είναι κατάλληλα יים דון מעלים און המדמים של לצטעי »;

(c) - the meet has been cut in an approved cutting plant (3)/des Fleisch ist in einem zugelessenen Zerlegungsbetrieb zerlegt worden (3)/kødet er opskaaret i en autoriseret opskaaringsvirksomhed (3)/qu'elles ont été découpées dans un atelier de découpe agréé (3)/dat het viese in een erkende uitsnijderij is uitgesneden (3)/ che esse sono state sezionate in un laboratorio di sezionamento riconosciuto (3)/ che ta vanta spianta Egouv taparadel de εγισεκριμένο εργαστήριο τεμισχισμού ;

(d) - the meet hes (has not) been subject to an examination for trichinosis or, where Article 3 of Directive 77-98-EEC applies, has undergone cold treatment (3)/das Fleisch ist (ist nicht) auf Trichinen untersucht worden; bei Anwendung von Artikel 3 der Richtlinie 77-98-EWG; das Fleisch ist einer Kaltebehandlung unterzogen worden (3)/kødet er (ikke er) undersøgt for trikiner eller i medfør of artikel 3 i direktiv 77-98-EØF er blevet underkastet en kuldebehandling (3)/qu'elles ont été (n'ont pas été) soumises à une recherche des trichines ou, en cas d'application de l'article 3 de la directive 77-98-CEE, ont été soumises à un traitement par le froid (3)/dat het vlees is (niet is) onderzocht op trichinen, of, in gevel van toepessing van artikel 3 van Richtlijn 66-96-EEG is onderworpen aan een koudebehandeling (3)/che sono state (non sono state) sottoposte all'esame per la ricerca delle trichine oppure, in caso di applicazione dell'articolo 3 della direttiva 77-96-CEE, sono state sottoposte ad un trattamento mediante freddo (3)/ ότι να κρίπτα έχουν — δεν έχουν - ωκοβληθεί σε τριχινοσκόκηση ή, σε καρέκταση εφαρμογής του έρθρου 3 της οδηγίας 71/96/ΕΟΚ, σε εκεξεργασία διά του ψύχους (3) ;

(e) - the means of transport and the loading conditions of meet of this consignment meet the hygiene requirements leid down in respect of export to the country of destination/die Transportmittel und die für des frische Fleisch dieser Sendung geltenden Ladebedingungen entsprechen den für den Versand nach dem Bestimmungsland vorgesehenen hygienischen Anforderungen/transportmidlerne samt indladningsforholdene for kødet i denne forsendelse er i overensstemmelse med de hygiejniske krav, der er fastsat for forsendelse til bestemmelseslandet/que les moyens de transport ainsi que les conditions de chargement des viandes de catte expédition sont conformes aux exigences de l'hygiène prévue pour l'expédition vers les pays destinataires/dat de , vervoermiddelen en de wijze waaroo het vlees van deze zending is ingeladen voldoen aan de voor verzending naar het land van bestemming gestelde eisen van hygiene/che i mezzi di trasporto e le condizioni di carico delle carni oggetto della spedizione corrispondono alle prescrizioni d'igiene previste per la spedizione verso il peese destinatorio/ ότι να μέσα μεταφοράς, καθάς και οι συνθήκας φορτάσσεις των πρεύτων αυτής της αποστολές. είναι σύμφωνα με τις απαιτήσεις της υγκενής οι οποίες προβλέπονται για αποστολές προς τις, χώρες αροσφαιμούς

(f) - on the basis of officially obtained information it can be assumed that the animals, from which this consignment of meet is derived, were not treated with stillbenes end thyrostatics; and based on results of random sampling, it can be assumed that the meet contains neither substances with a hormonal or anti-hormonal effect which do not occur naturally in the meet, nor entiblicitics or chemotherapeutics/als Folge offizieller Berichterstattung derf angenommen werden, dass die Tiere, von denen diese Fleischlieferung stammt, nicht mit Stilben und Schilddrüsenmitteln (Thyrostatika) behandelt wurden; Stichproben lassen ausserdem die Annehme zu, dass das Fleisch weder Substanzen mit hormoneller oder anti-hormoneller Wirkung, welche nicht in natürlicher Form in dem Fleisch vorkommen, noch Antibiotics oder chemo-therspeutische Mittel enthelt/det kan vedtages att dyr fra denna kødsending ikke ver behandlede med stilbenes og tyrostatik. Dette i henhold til officielle opgivalser. Opgivelserne er beserte paa resultat fra slumpevise prøver. Det kan vedtages at kédet ikke indeholder onaturlige hormoner eller entihormoner, heller ikke antibiotika eller andre mediciner/les renseignements officiels font présumer que les viendes de cet envoi proviennet d'animeux qui n'ont pes été traités evec des substances thyrostatiques et stilbenes; et les résultats d'examens effectués sur des échentillons prélèves per sondage font présumer que les viandes ne contiennent aucune substance à action hormonale ou entihormonale qui ne se trouvs pes naturellement dans les viandes, et aucune substance entibiotique ou chimiothérapeutique/dat op grond van door hem verkregen ambtelijke informatie moet worden aangenomen dat de dieren waarvan het vlees van deze pertij efkomstig is, niet zijn behendeld met stilbenen en thyreostatica en dat op grond van steakproefsgewijs uitgevoerd onderzoek moet worden aangenomen dat het vlees geen stoffen met hormonale den wel antihormonale werking, die niet eigen aan vlees zijn, antibiotics of chemotherspeutics, bevat/in base ad informazioni ufficialments ottenute si puo ammettere che gli animali dai quall proviene questa pertita di carne non sono stati trattati con stilbeni sostanza tireostatiche; e in base ai risultati di compionatura fatta a caso si può ammettere che la carne non contiene né sostanze con consequenze ormoneli o antiormonali che non soprevvengano nella carne per via naturale, né antibiotici on prodotti chemioterepici/ Ης βάσιν ετισήμως τρομηθευομένων εληροφοριών δύναται να υποθετιθεί, ότι τα ζώα, από τα οποία αυτή ή αποστολή πρεάτων προήλθεν, δέν ήταν επε- ξεργασμένα με χρωστικάς καί θυρεοστατικάς ουσίας. Επίσης με βάσιν τα αποτελέσματα προερχόμενα από τυχαίων δοκιμαστικών δειγμάτων, δύναται να υποθετιθεί ότι το πρέας δέν περιέχει ούτε ουσίας με ορμονικάς ή αντιμορμονικάς συνεπείας αί οποίαι δέν συμβαίνουν ουσιολογικώς είς τά πρέατα ούτε αντιβιοτικάς., ή χημοθεραπευτικάς ουσιας.

| Done et/Ausgefertigt in/Udfærdiget i/Feit a/Gedaen te/Fetto a/ Ey | on/sm/den/le/op(datum)/ii/ στς:



(Signature of official veterinarien)/(Unterschrift des amtlichen Tiererztes)/(Embedsdyrlægens underskrift)/(Signature du vétérinaire officiel) (Handtekening officieel dierenerts)/Firma del veterinario ufficiele/ Yzoypaen εξουσιοδοτημένου κτηνιατρού.

- (1) Fresh meet within the meening of Article 2(b) of Directive 64-433-EEC means all parts of domestic enimals of the bovine, porcine, ovine and caprine species and of domestic solipeds which are fit for human consumption end which have not undergone eny preserving process, chilled and frozen meet being considered as fresh meat/Frisches Fleisch im Sinne des Artikels 2 Bushstabe b) der Richtlinie 64-433-EWG/Fersk kild i henhold til artikel 2, litra b), i direktiv 64-433-EØF/Viandes fraches au sens de l'article 2 sous b) de le directive 64-433-CEE/Vers views in de zin ven article 2, sub b), van Richtlijn 64-433-EEG/ Carni fresche ei sensi dell'articolo 2, lettera b), della direttiva 64-433-CEE/ Νεικά κρέατα κατά την έννοια του άρθρου 2 περίπτωση β) της οδηγίας 64/433/ΕΘΚ.
- (2) For railway wagons or trucks the registration number should be given, for eircreft the flight number, and for ships the name/Bei. Versand mit Eisenbahnweggons oder Lastkreftwagen sind die jeweiligen Kennzeichen oder Nummern, bei Versand per Flugzeug die Flugnummern und bei Versand per Schiff der Name des Schiffes einzutragen/For jernbenevogne og lestvogne enføres indregistreringsnummeret, for fly anføres flyvningens nummer og for skibe nevnet/Pour les wegans et les camions, indiquer le numéro d'immatriculation, pour les avions, le numéro du vol, et, pour les bateaux, le nom/Bij verzending per spoorwegwegon of vrachtwegen dient het kenteken of nummer te worden vermeld; bij verzending per vliegtuig dient het nummer van de vlucht te worden aangegeven en bij verzending per schip de naam van het schip/Per i carri ferrovieri e gli autocarri indicare il numero di immatricolazione, per gli aerei il numero del volo e per le navi il nome./Για τα βαγόνια και τα φορτηγά νε στριαίνεται ο αριθμός μητρώσω, για τα αροαλάνειο αριθμός ατήσης και για τα πλοία η ονομεσία τους.
- (3) Delete as appropriate/Nichtzutreffendes streichen/Det ikke-gaeldende overstreges/Biffer le mention inutile/Doorhelen wat niet van toepassing is/Cancellere la menzione inutile/ Na διαγρασή ή περίττή ενδείξις.

FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE WASHINGTON, D. C.

FSIS NOTICE

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USE OF THE PFF TOLL FREE TELEPHONE LINE

The PFF toll free telephone line has been established to provide State Directors and Inspectors in Charge (IIC), except those in the Washington Metropolitan area, a direct communication link with the Washington Staff responsible for maintaining the PFF computer data base. This line is limited to those State Directors and IIC's with plants preparing cured pork products under the PFF regulation. (See FSIS Notice 70-84.)

The Toll Free number, is 800-327-9522 and will be activated as of December 15, 1984. For IIC's in the Washington, D.C., area, the number is 202-447-7077. A log of all calls and the actions taken will be maintained. A monthly summary of the log will be provided to each region.

The telephone line is to be used by the IIC when an Absolute Minimum violation is found based on the IIC's calculation of the PFF value. The IIC will be required to calculate PFF values on samples sent to an accredited laboratory for analyses. The IIC's must use the PFF telephone line to verify their calculations and the recommended action to be taken. Operational questions are to be referred to MPIO, Regional Operations.

Prior to using the telephone line, the IIC must have available the following information:

Establishment Number
Inspector Name
Meat Protein Analyses from Submitted Sample
Fat Analyses from the Submitted Sample
Sample Number from the Sample Request Form
PFF value (Calculated by IIC)
Product Name on Label
Group from the Sample Request Form
Sampling Phase (Periodic, Daily, Retention)

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The data provided by the IIC will be entered into the computer for calculating the PFF Value, Group Value, Product Value or, in the case of retention, the average PFF sample value. These calculations on the PFF computer will take precedence over the IIC's calculations. Instructions will be given to the IIC on the action to be taken; e.g., retain product, release product, change sampling phase, or identify products to be sampled.

Deputy Administrator

Meat and Poultry Inspection Operations

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE WASHINGTON, D. C.

FSIS NOTICE

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12/31/84

REVIEW OF CUSTOM EXEMPT PLANTS IN DESIGNATED STATES

This Notice is to inform personnel that FSIS Directive 5720.2, Reviewing State Meat and Poultry Inspection Programs, will become effective January 1, 1985.

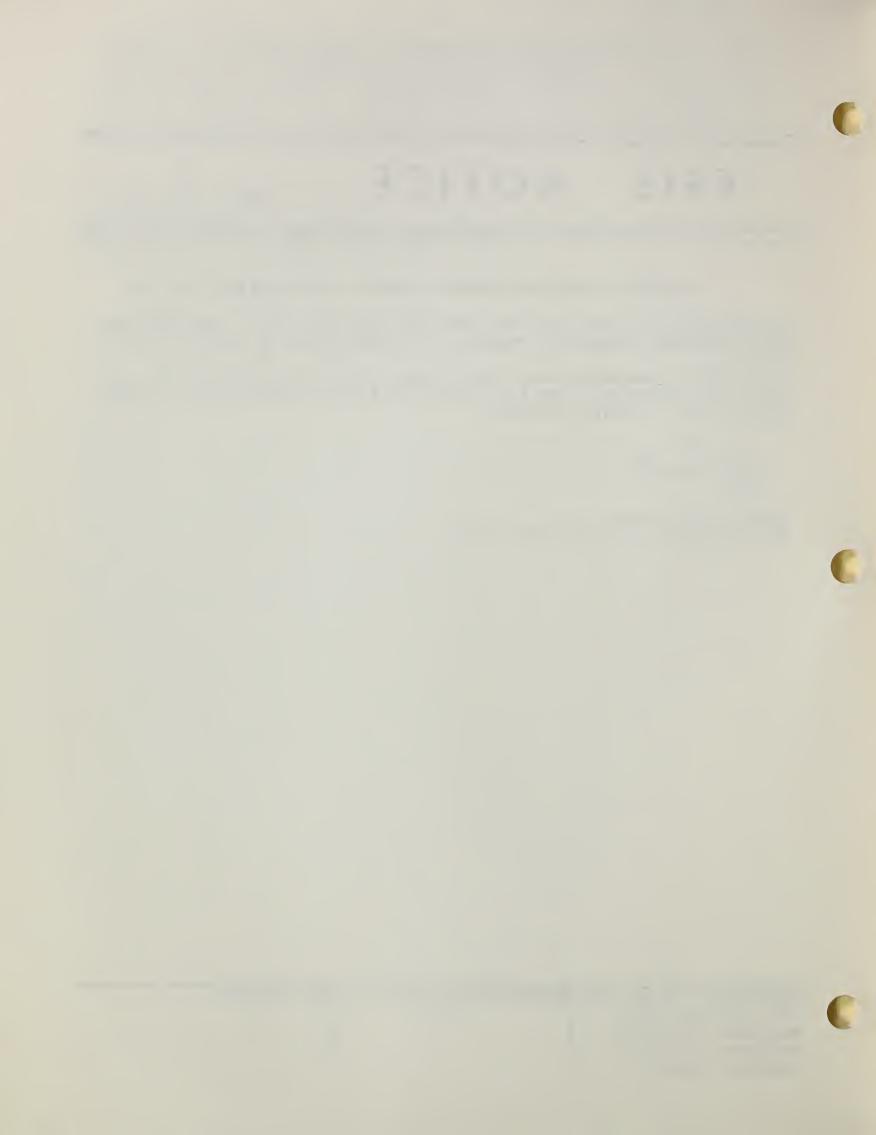
Provisions for reviewing custom exempt plants found in Section VII, VIII, IX, and X; and Attachments 3 and 4 of the Directive will be used to review custom exempt plants in designated States.

Deputy Administrator

Meat and Poultry Inspection Operations

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CHANGE 85-1 TO THE MEAT AND POULTRY INSPECTION MANUAL - Part 27

85-1

January 1985

I PURPOSE

This document transmits changes to the Meat and Poultry Inspection Manual.

II CHANGES

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Pages 284 and 285

Pages 284, 284a, 284b and 285

III CANCELLATION

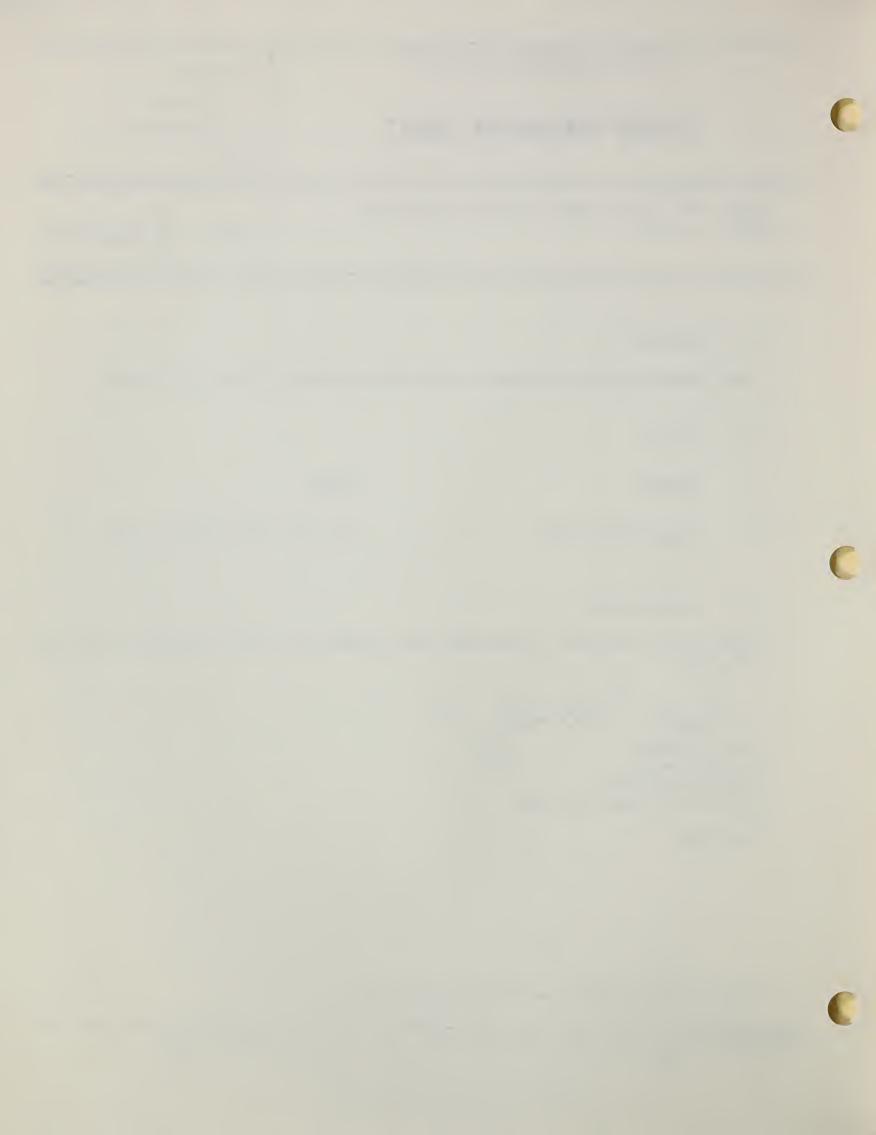
This change transmittal is cancelled when contents have been incorporated into the MPI Manual.

Irwin Dubinsky Acting Director Regulations Office

Policy and Program Planning

Attachment

The last Manual Change was 84-10 dated 12-7-84.



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product for water defrost shall be of sufficient strength to prevent leakage and/or breakage. A letter shall be provided by the supplier indicating material acceptance for edible product contact. A copy of the acceptance letters shall be on file in the government office.

(g) Storage and Staging Areas

These areas shall be maintained in a sanitary and safe condition. Improperly maintained equipment, such as fork lifts leaking operational fluids which may contaminate product or containers, shall not be used in handling meat and poultry products.

(h) Incubation - Shelf Stable Heat **Processed Products**

Follow procedures outlined in section 27.15(c). The heat sensing element for the temperature recording chart shall be lower than the lowest shelf storing product for incubation. A means of air circulation should be provided to assure uniform temperature distribution.

(i) References

There are many applicable requirements relative to imports recorded in various sections of the Manual. The following requirements are not all inclusive but are referenced to assist inspectors in assuring compliance with applicable provisions:

1. Water Supply - Subpart 8-D

2. General Sanitation - Subpart 8-B

8-C Personal Hygiene - Subpart

Sanitation of Facilities and Equipment - Subpart 8-E

Chemical Compounds - Subpart 8-F

Insect and Rodent Control -Subpart 8-G

7. Special Sanitation Requirements - Subpart 8-H

27.6 MARKING, LABELING

(a) Approval

The inspector shall approve the * following labels in accordance with * Section §324.14 and §327.15 of the

regulations at each location where * presented for * the products are import inspection!

(1) Labels for shipping containers * fully labeled * which contain

immediate containers;

ingredient * (2) Labels for single products in large size immediate * used for * containers not generally example, * retail sale. For bulk-packed boneless meats.

(i) Required Information.

- 1. Outside containers (which is The * also the shipping container. any * container in which outside container of foreign * immediate product is shipped to the United * States shall bear, in English, in a * and legible manner the * prominent following:
- a. The **name** of or descriptive * in * designation of the product accordance with §317.2 the * of regulations;

of * b. The name of the country origin;

c. The number * establishment by the foreign meat * assigned inspection system and certified to * the Program;

statement * d. Special handling such as "keep frozen" or "keep * refrigerated", where necessary.

- 2. Immediate Container (when it * is shipping container also): Labels * for immediate containers such as * boxes, * tierces, barrels, drums, crates and large size fiberboard * containers shall bear, in English, * in a prominent and legible manner; *
- a. name or descriptive designation * or the product in accordance with * Part 317.2 of the regulations;
- b. name of the country of origin * preceded by "Product of" under the * product name;

c. net weight;

- special handling d. statement * such as "keep frozen" or "keep * refrigerated", where necessary;
- e. name and address of either the * foreign establishment, distributor, * or importer; and

* f. establishment number assigned * by the foreign meat inspection * system and certified to the * program.

* (ii) File. Shipping container

* label approval will be completed on

* each lot as it is offered for inspec
* tion. It is not necessary to main
* tain a file of inspector-approved

* shipping container labels. Circuit

* Supervisors will ensure that inspec
* tors are properly reviewing and

* approving these labels, by periodi
* cally observing inspected and passed

* lots and verifying that the labels

* conform to the requirements in item

* (i) above.

* (iii) Label Location on Shipping
* Containers. The labels must be
* placed at the end of the shipping
* containers so that information is
* readily visible when product is
* offered for inspection. However,
* labels with duplicate information can
* be placed on other parts of the
* containers. Required information
* must be printed, stenciled or affixed
* to the shipping container by a
* self-destructing printed label.

* The actual weight of the product

* may be legibly written on the

* shipping container in ink, but the

* words "net weight", "pounds (lbs)"

* and "ounces (oz)" must be printed,

* stenciled or labeled.

* (iv) Lot Identification Marks. An
* identification mark must appear on
* the same main panel as the label on
* all shipping containers comprising
* one lot of product and on the
* foreign certificate for that lot.
* This identification mark shall be
* used to distinguish each lot of
* product and to relate product to the
* certificate. The shipping mark may
* be used for this purpose.

(v) Information Necessary for Import Inspection

The following information must be * displayed for the inspector on every * shipping container (or immediate * container when it is also the * shipping container) presented for * import inspection:

- (1) Name of Product
- (2) Country of Origin
 (3) Foreign Establishment Number
- (4) Lot Identification Marks

Containers must be stacked on * pallets in such a manner that the * above information is readily visible * on all containers. In addition, * there must be sufficient space on * the part of the container displayed * to stamp the mark of import * inspection.

(2) Immediate Container Labels. Labels for immediate containers, * capable of retail sale intact, * including artificial casings, bags, or * printed wrappers, must be approved by * the Meat and Poultry Standards and * Labeling Division. The foreign * establishment (or importing firm) * shall submit a sufficient number of * completed copies of MP Form 8822-1, * with the label attached to: and Poultry Standards and Labeling * Division, MPI Technical Services, * FSIS, 12th and C Street, S.W., * Agricultural Annex Building, * Washington, DC 20250. The number of ★ copies submitted must equal the * number of ports of entry where the * product will be entered, plus one * copy for Foreign Programs Division * and any additional copies needed for * foreign country.

(b) Product Designation

(1) Product. The product * destination on the shipping * container must be the same as it * appears on the label approval form * (MP 8822-1) for the immediate * container or from standard U.S * nomenclature; e.g., Uniform Meat *

* Identity Standards, American Meat * Institute; Uniform Retail Meat Identity * Standards, National Livestock and Meat * Board, Meat Buyers Guide, National * Association of Meat Purveyors. All * words must be completely spelled out.

(2) Cuts. Individual cuts may be * identified on the shipping containers * by their specific accepted name such * as "beef inside rounds", "beef * knuckles", "hams", "pork spareribs", * "pork shoulder picnics", etc. Pork-cut names usually used to * identify cured product must be used * with the word "fresh" when not cured; * e.g., "fresh hams." Product designa-* tions such as "bull", "cow", "baby", * "fatless", "frozen", "forequarter * meat", etc., are not permitted. * Examples of permitted designations are: * "boneless beef", "boneless
* knuckles", "boneless fresh beef hams * partially defatted".

(3) Other Required Designations.

(i) Cheek meat must follow the * proper designation such as "boneless * beef-cheek meat" since it is * restricted ingredient in certain * products.

- (ii) Rindless pork jowls must be * completely sliced or deeply scored * from the "meat" surface downward in * sections approximately 1 inch apart, * and cut surfaces must be observed for * abnormalities. This procedure must * be done in the originating foreign * establishment.
- * (c) Industry Marks. Industry marks for product containers * distinguishing various trade * categories of poultry meat and * products are permissible but shall have labeling connotations. * These marks shall not be contiguous * to the product designation.

* (d) Country of Origin Marking.

* (1) Product Categories. The products * listed below must be marked with the * name of the country of origin preceded * by the words "product of" and the foreign establishment numbers. If the * mark of inspection of the foreign * country contains the country name and * the establishment number, that mark is * sufficient satisfy to requirement.

in * (i) Primal parts as defined Section 316.9 of the regulations. *

*

(ii) Individually wrapped cuts.

(iii) Bulk-packed cuts that either fresh or individually frozen * and packed in such a manner as to make * them separable without defrosting the * entire container. EXCEPTIONS: * Steaks, pork ribs, neck bones.

(2) MP Form 408. product * The identified under (d)(1) will not be * required to be marked if it moves * from import inspection directly to * the official establishment that will * further process the product. Move- * ment of the product will be under * modified MP Form 408.

(e) Carcasses (Meat)

When imported carcasses are separated into various cuts normally having an inspection legend, the cuts shall be legibly marked to show the country of origin adjacent to such legend.

(f) Repackaged Product

When authorized by MPI, imported product may be repackaged Identification Service. The origin country's name must be marked on each new package.

Imported product that is further processed by cooking, grinding, or slicing may be packaged under approved (domestic) label without reference to country of origin. However, if product is identified as "imported," the label must also bear a statement such as "sliced and packed in U.S.A."

(g) Horsemeat

Horsemeat is required to be marked "horsemeat" with green ink on larger pieces within every carton. At least one such mark is required on each 10 pounds of bulk packed boneless meat.

Horsemeat markings or labels must be printed, embossed, or lithographed directly on containers. Attached paper labels are not satisfactory.

(h) Grade Marks

Imported products bearing grade marks similar to those used by Meat Grading Branch, Livestock Division, AMS, shall not be accepted until such marks are checked and the quality of the product is verified by a Meat Grading Branch representative.

(i) Label File

the inspector's office for all products springers) hermetically offered for inspection.

(i) Metric Weight See Section 17.10(q)

27.7 MPI COOPERATION

Inspectors shall fully cooperate with U.S. Customs and other governmental agencies in handling imported products.

INSPECTION PROCEDURES

Subpart 27-B

(Regs: M-316, 317, 327 P Subpart N, T)

Import inspections are required to determine whether imported product, certified by officials of approved countries, continues to be wholesome meets U.S. requirements when offered for inspection. Importers shall provide competent personnel necessary for the efficient and effective application of required examinations.

27.10 LOT PRESENTATION; CONDITION AND ACCURACY

Inspectors will initially check all lots in their entirety for general condition, proper labeling, and accuracy of count as specified on the MP Form 410 and health certificate. portions of Lots, or demonstrating unacceptable conditions at this point shall be refused entry.

Damaged containers sorted out of a lot shall be examined by the inspector to determine cause and rejected and identified as such on the MP Form 410. When the sorted product consists of

All label approvals must be on file at abnormal (i.e., swells, flippers, containers and the abnormalities are not the direct result of shipping

